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PROJECT NO. 21-14 - FIRST STATE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY HALL

East Side South Main Street #208-14

St. Charles, Missouri

Date of Erection About 1821 Number of Drawings None (See Field Book No. 8)

The building is of brick, two stories in height, and coneists of a series of stores. The upper rooms were formerly connected by doors which have since been closed. The sidewalks in front of these buildings were originally covered by canopies or porches supported by columns at the curb.

The first legislative assembly of Missouri was held here in the second story rooms in 1821, upon admission of Missouri as a State. (RENTED FROM MR. PECKES)

The first annual message by the first Governor, Alexander McNair, was given here on November 6, 1821.

WILBUR T. TRUEBLOOD.

Reviewed 1936 by H.C.F.